

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	CRIMINAL NO. _____
v.	:	DATE FILED: _____
BRAHEEM BLACK	:	VIOLATIONS:
	:	21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1) (possession with
	:	intent to distribute 50 grams or more of
	:	cocaine base (“crack”) - 1 count)
	:	21 U.S.C. § 860 (possession with intent to
	:	distribute 50 grams or more of cocaine
	:	base (“crack”) within 1000 feet of a school
	:	- 1 count)
	:	18 U.S.C. § 924(c) (possession of a firearm
	:	in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime
	:	- 1 count)
	:	26 U.S.C. § 5861(d) (possession of an
	:	unregistered firearm - 1 count)
	:	18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1) (convicted felon in
	:	possession of a firearm - 2 counts)
		Notice of forfeiture

INDICTMENT

COUNT ONE

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

On or about November 10, 2006, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of
Pennsylvania, defendant

BRAHEEM BLACK

knowingly and intentionally possessed with intent to distribute 50 grams or more, that is,
approximately 66 grams, of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of cocaine
base (“crack”), a Schedule II controlled substance.

In violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(A).

COUNT TWO

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about November 10, 2006, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

BRAHEEM BLACK

knowingly and intentionally possessed with intent to distribute 50 grams or more, that is, approximately 66 grams, of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of cocaine base (“crack”), a Schedule II controlled substance, within 1,000 feet of the real property comprising the McMichael Morton Elementary School, a public elementary school located at 3543 Fairmount Avenue in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1).

In violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 860(a).

COUNT THREE

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about November 10, 2006, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

BRAHEEM BLACK

knowingly possessed a firearm, that is: (1) a .44 magnum Smith & Wesson handgun, serial number N350430, loaded with 6 live rounds, and a Sears and Roebuck (manufactured by Winchester), model 200; and (2) a 12 gauge short-barreled shotgun, with barrel length of 13 inches and overall length of 25 ½ inches, serial number P243266, loaded with 4 live rounds, in furtherance of a drug trafficking crime for which he may be prosecuted in a court of the United States, that is, possession with the intent to distribute 50 grams or more of cocaine base, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1).

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c)(1)(B)(I).

COUNT FOUR

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about November 10, 2006, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

BRAHEEM BLACK

knowingly possessed a firearm with an overall length of less than 26 inches and a barrel of less than 18 inches in length, that is, a Sears and Roebuck (manufactured by Winchester), model 200, 12 gauge short-barreled shotgun, serial number P243266, with a barrel length of 13 inches and an overall length of 25 ½ inches, not registered to the defendant in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record.

In violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5845(a), 5861(d), and 5871.

COUNT FIVE

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about November 10, 2006, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, defendant

BRAHEEM BLACK,

having been convicted in a court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, knowingly possessed in and affecting interstate commerce a firearm, that is: (1) a .44 magnum Smith & Wesson handgun, serial number N350430, loaded with 6 live rounds; and (2) a Sears and Roebuck (manufactured by Winchester), model 200, 12 gauge short-barreled shotgun, serial number P243266, loaded with 4 live rounds.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

COUNT SIX

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

On or about May 16, 2006, in Philadelphia, in the Eastern District of
Pennsylvania, defendant

BRAHEEM BLACK,

having been convicted in a court of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, knowingly possessed in and affecting interstate commerce a firearm, that is: (1) a black Hi-Point 9mm handgun, serial number P1227432, loaded with 7 live rounds; and (2) a black Hi-Point 9mm handgun, serial number P1215301, loaded with 7 live rounds.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

NOTICE OF FORFEITURE

THE GRAND JURY FURTHER CHARGES THAT:

As a result of the violations of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 924(c) and 922(g)(1), and Title 26, United States Code, Section 5861(d) set forth in this indictment, defendant

BRAHEEM BLACK

shall forfeit to the United States of America the firearms and ammunition involved in the commission of these offenses, including, but not limited to, the following firearms and ammunition:

- 1) black Hi-Point 9mm handgun, serial number P1227432, loaded with 7 live rounds;
- 2) black Hi-Point 9mm handgun, serial number P1215301, loaded with 7 live rounds;
- 3) .44 magnum Smith & Wesson handgun, serial number N350430, loaded with 6 live rounds; and
- 4) Sears and Roebuck (manufactured by Winchester), model 200, 12 gauge shotgun, serial number P243266, loaded with 4 live rounds.

All pursuant to Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), and Title 18,
United States Code, Section 924(d).

A TRUE BILL:

GRAND JURY FOREPERSON

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